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Attention: Wireline Competition Bureau

The enclosed tariffs, issued by the Verizon Telephone Companies (Verizon) and bearing Tariff FCC Nos. 1 and 11, Access Services; Tariff FCC No. 14, Facilities for Interstate Access, and Tariff FCC No. 20, Communications Services, are being sent to you for filing in compliance with the requirements of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended. This material, filed on 7 days' notice and scheduled to become effective October 1, 2015, consists of tariff pages as indicated on the following check sheets:

<u>Tariff FCC No.</u>	<u>Check Sheet Revision No.</u>
1	545th Revised Page 1 151st Revised Page 2
11	484th Revised Page 1 61st Revised Page 18.5
14	423rd Revised Page 1 135th Revised Page 4.1

Tariff FCC No.

Check Sheet Revision No.

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286th Revised Page 1
118th Revised Page 6

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214th Revised Page 1

With this filing, Verizon submits tariff pages to provide revisions for the Fourth Quarter 2015 Federal Universal Service Fund Charge (FUSF)¹. The FUSF portion of this filing is being made in compliance with the Commission's rules and underlying orders, including but not necessarily limited to:

Access Charge Reform, Price Cap Performance Review for Local Exchange Carriers, Low-Volume Long Distance Users, Federal-State Joint Board on Universal Service, Order, 15 FCC Rcd 12962 (2000);

Federal-State Joint Board on Universal Service, Report and Order and Second Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, 17 FCC Rcd 24952 (2002);

Federal- State Joint Board on Universal Service, Order and Second Order on Reconsideration, Order and Second Order on Reconsideration, 18 FCC Rcd 4818 (2003), as modified by Federal- State Joint Board on Universal Service, Order on Reconsideration, 23 FCC Rcd 2567 (2008); and

Connect America Fund, et al., Report and Order and Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, 26 FCC Rcd 17663 (2011) ("USF-ICC Transformation Order").

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FCC Public Notice, Proposed Fourth Quarter 2015 Universal Service Contribution Factor, CC Docket No. 96-45 (rel. September 14, 2015).

Support material as described under Section 61.38 of the Commission's rules and as further required by the above-referenced FUSF orders is provided. A detailed Description and Justification has been included for further clarification.

This transmittal letter and associated attachments are being filed electronically today via the Federal Communications Commission's Electronic Tariff Filing System (ETFS). Payment in the amount of \$910.00 has been electronically transmitted to the U.S. Bank in St. Louis, Missouri, in accordance with the fee program procedures.

In accordance with the requirements of Section 61.15(a)(4) of the Commission's rules, the FCC Registration Number (FRN) for Verizon is 0003-7085-00. Verizon is making this filing on behalf of issuing carriers with the following FRNs:

<u>Tariff FCC No. 1</u>	<u>Tariff FCC No. 11</u>	<u>Tariff FCC No. 14</u>
0002-0732-03	0003-4694-42	0020-2497-77
0002-1092-13	0003-6289-71	0001-5364-24
0002-1668-25		0001-8248-04
0003-2717-98		0001-9625-88
0003-2735-05		0001-6802-63
0003-3166-92		
<u>Tariff FCC No. 16</u>	<u>Tariff FCC No. 20</u>	
0020-2497-77	0002-0732-03	0020-2497-77
0001-9625-88	0002-1092-13	0001-5364-24
0001-5364-24	0002-1668-25	0001-8248-04
0001-6802-63	0003-2717-98	0001-9625-88
	0003-2735-05	0001-6802-63
	0003-4694-42	
	0003-6289-71	

All correspondence and inquiries in connection with this transmittal should be forwarded to Frederick Moacdieh, Executive Director, Federal Regulatory Affairs, via facsimile on (202) 336-7922, or by hand-delivery to 1300 I Street NW, Suite 400 West, Washington, DC 20005.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'F. Moacdieh', with a stylized flourish at the end.

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Attachments:

Revised Tariff Pages
Description and Justification
Workpaper Support